**Foreign Language Week at LHS**

**March 21-25, 2011**

Collaboration among the LHS Foreign Language Department, Mrs. Schatz, librarian, Kim Larsen, ITRT, and Jennifer Harrison, ITRT.

1. A wiki: <http://lhsflwcelebration.wikispaces.com/> has been created for this celebration to be accessed on the computers in library for the following activities:

Games, Listening/Speaking, Cultural Tours, and Google Earth

2. 2 sets of 5 Laptops on table side of the library for students to use Voki (<http://www.voki.com/>) in order to create a character to speak a small dialog/monolog in a foreign language of choice

3. Karaoke station—portable speaker w/microphone, laptop with videos of songs/music, and lyrics in foreign languages to perform

4. There will be 5 iPod Touches to listen to many different language podcasts on table side of library.

5. After viewing the Chinese page of the wiki and how to draw Chinese characters, students will paint Chinese zodiac animals of their choice.

6. On one computer students will be able to listen to many different Disney songs in many different languages via youtube.com

7. On the same computer as the Disney songs, students will be able view Latin dance lessons via youtube.com

8. The LHS cafeteria will be highlighting foods from different countries:

Monday: Italian Day - Pizza, Italian Ice

Tuesday: American Day - Cheese Burgers, etc

Wednesday: Asian Day: Fried Rice, Egg Roll

Thursday: French Day - Beignets

Friday: Hispanic Day - Taco, Spanish Rice

9. Staff and students have volunteered to say the American Pledge of Allegiance in a foreign language each morning:

Monday—Reem Hasan--Arabic

Tuesday—Eric Olson—Norwegian

Wednesday—Charlotte Farley/Rosalie LoPiccolo (student)—Italian

Thursday—Ralf Melis--Dutch

Friday—Kelly Miller’s students—Spanish

10. There will be an LCD projector and screen for students to view live action from other parts of the world through [www.earthcam.com](http://www.earthcam.com)